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**Preliminary Amendment**

at page 16, line 7, please replace "refers referes to two or polymorphism" with —refers to two or more polymorphisms—;

at page 16, line 25, please replace "use" with —using—;

at page 16, line 26, please replace "ininterest." with —interest.—;

at page 17, line 5, please replace "to means" with —to a means—;

at page 17, line 8, please replace "can be" with —can be done—;

at page 17, line 22, please replace "cinlude" with —include—;

at page 21, line 5, please replace "contain" with —contain,—;

at page 21, line 5, please replace "parameters" with —parameters,—;

at page 21, line 23, please replace "that be" with —that can be—;

at page 22, line 9, please replace "questionnaire," with —questionnaire—;

at page 27, line 3, please replace "WO 99/31273" with —WO 99/31278—;

at page 30, line 20, please replace "recognize" with —to recognize—;

at page 31, line 3, please replace "enzymes" with —enzyme—;

at page 32, line 19, please replace "site" with —sites—;

at page 32, line 24, please replace "correlatate" with —correlate—;

at page 32, line 25, please replace "age." with —age, age groups can be screened for polymorphisms.—;

at page 34, line 4, please replace "CETP Allele CETP" with —CETP Allele—;

at page 37, line 30, please replace "repair pathways" with —repair pathways,—;

at page 40, line 13, please replace "in to" with —to—;

at page 46, line 17, please replace "experiments" with —experiment—;

at page 47, line 1, please replace "individual" with —individuals—;

at page 47, line 15, please replace "considered" with —can be considered—;

at page 50, line 13, please replace "nucleotides" with —nucleotides,—;

at page 55, line 17, please replace "assays" with —assays and—;

at page 55, line 25, please replace "shows" with —show—;

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at page 56, line 8, please replace "assays" with —assays and—;

at page 58, line 13, please replace "nanograms)" with —nanograms),—;

at page 58, line 28, please replace "11.41%" with —11.41%,—;

at page 62, line 9, please replace "publicly" with —public—;

at page 68, line 1, please replace "release" with —released—;

at page 68, line 23, please replace "NO:" with —NO: 36—;

at page 69, line 17, please replace "For latter" with —For the latter,—;

at page 71, line 30, please replace "32" with —34—;

at page 73, line 21, please replace "magnet" with —magnet,—;

at page 74, line 10, please replace "additional" with —addition—;

at page 75, line 19, please replace "sulfoxid" with —sulfoxide—;

at page 76, line 10, please replace "and and" with —and—;

at page 76, line 23, please replace "release" with —released—;

at page 76, line 28, please replace "the he" with —the—;

at page 78, line 9, please replace "it is" with —it does—;

at page 83, line 13, please replace "Daltons" with —Daltons,—;

at page 87, line 10, please replace "to A) (SEQ ID #)." with —to A).—;

at page 90, line 4, please replace "usd" with —used—;

at page 90, line 19, please replace "MALTY" with —MALDI—;

at page 90, line 20, please replace "TOM" with —TOF—;

at page 91, line 4, please replace "Elme r)," with —Elmer),—;

at page 99, line 2, please replace "result" with —the result—;

at page 99, line 14, please replace "is" with —are—;

at page 101, line 9, please replace "expediential" with —exponential—;

at page 102, line 13, please replace "has" with —have—;

at page 104, line 17, please replace "block 55," with —block 55;—;

at page 108, line 18, please replace "as:" with —as:  $\sqrt{[(G-R)^2/N]}$ ;  
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at page 110, line 18, please replace "determined. As" with —determined,